# OUR FOURTEENTH VOLUME.

ed to its existence—another annual revolution is impressed it with features of a deeper sobilety—a more expanded and developed age. To retrosp the past year at this stand-point is both agrees and interesting. To deep that we have had tris positions, and troubles, incident to our voca of estward circumstances—to arrogate a position above that alloted to humanity. The Horatian decirine is, that no one is satisfied with that lot which chance or nature assigns him. While this, in a restricted sense, may be regarded as philosophically true, we have no special causes of dissatisfaction to chronicle during the past year. We have been cheered forward by an increasing list of friends and generous supporters, by smiles of encourage-ment and words of comfort. To day we feel that the existence of our paper is more vigorous than at any former period. Under considerable accessions to our list, and an increusing advertising patronage we enter upon the Pourteenth Volume with re

newed energies.

In the coming year we contemplate improvements satisfactory to ourselves and more advantageous to our readers and those who do business in our colmote. But they will be realized in good time, as far as we can forecast the future.

try to enlist more in our beholf? A few additional nes at each post office might readily be obtaine -the whole swelling to a respectable aggregate; and the additional means thus brought to our aid will enable us to requite the interest taken in the

we fare of this paper.

We are grateful for the very liberal encouragement that has marked the present management of the Spartan, and hopeful for the future. But we shall not relax effort. We aim to furnish a good paper-and one growing constantly better. Come up to our help, then, and bless us with a long list of prompt paying customers, and see if we do not more than realize the promises now made.

## SPARTANBURG AND UNION RAILROAD.

Attention is called to the eard of the President appointing a special meeting of all persons interested in the above road, at Union C. H., on the 5th of March next. The urgency of the call must command attention.

## ACCIDENT.

On Thursday evening last, on the plantation T. O P. Vernon, Esq., while walling a deep well, the rope broke when about twenty feet from the water, precipitating a box of stone upon Kinsman Seay, jr., the walter, inflicting severe injuries. He was promptly brought out of the well, a physician sent for, and removed to his home. Under careful attention from Dr. Russel he is recovering.

ROBBERY.

On Wednesday night, 15th instant, some scoup drel or scoundrels broke into the store of Messry Lee & Briggs, and the Post Office adjoining, robbing both of money to the amount of about \$75. No ods are known to have been etolen from the prem ses. We understand that Lockwood's boy Hamo and two other negroes have been committed to jail as parties to the burglary.

# EXTRAIT D'EAU DE COLOGNE.

This exquisite toilette indispensable, in all its puri ty, may be found at the Chemical Store of Messrs. Farina is now before us, and we are therefore enquality. These gentlemen are well supplied with every toilette requisite, and we commend purchasers to them for selection.

# FRUIT OUT OF SEASON.

We are again indebted to Mr. J. M. King, of Rich Hill, for a magnificent Winter Bell Pear, and also for several specimens of his Carolina Seedling Gully, and Yellow Limber-Twig Apples.

Under the impulse given to fruit culture by our Agricultural Society a demand has sprung up for trees which he cannot at present supply. He hopes however, in a year or so, to be fully able to fill all orders directed to him.

In the meantime, we invite those in want of fruit trees to the advertisement of Mr. Hamilton, of with an ample stock

# - THE TREASURY SURPLUS.

Much anxiety is felt among merchants and states men at the large surplus in the Treasury of the United States. To this fear, more than to any other reason, is to be attributed the desire in certain quarters to reduce the tariff. The banks and merchants look with alarm at the accumulation of specie in the treasury vaults, abstracting from trade its very life, and threatening a money crisis. At the end of the present fiscal year, without some action of Congress providing a safety-valve, the independent treasuries will have \$43,000,000 in their vaults. To guard against a commercial revulsion something must be done by Congress.

Since the above was written, dates from Wash ington to the 19th have reached us. On that day the Senate passed the above bill; also, bills confirm ing titles to swamp lands and to increase the pay of army officers. The House passed, by 20 majority, the bill repealing the obnoxious laws of Kansas and ordering a new election for the Legislative Assem-

# MAGAZINES.

The Lady's Book for March. This beautiful and welcome monthly is before us-in advance of those sent to regular subscribers. Godey knows the value of the press from the advantages he has already realized, and therefore sends early copies. This No. is full of handsome engravings—of art, he fell under suspicion, and it became the settled opinion of a large majority of the people of Texas opinion of a large majority of the people of the peo numbering 25 illustrations; while the literary de partment is increasing in excellence. Price, alone, \$3. The Lady's Book and Spartan one year, \$4, in advance.

Southern Literary Messenger for February. This is a sterling periodical, and being Southern in sentiment, as well as in publication, commends itself to liberal support at the South. Richmond; Macfariane, Fergusson & Co. \$3 per annum in

CASUALTY .-- We regret to learn that Mr. Wil-Nam Wood, a native of Chester district, acting as one of the runners on the Spartanburg and Union Railroad, in attempting to jump from his engine, to him. in the neighborhood of Lyle,' Ford, on Saturday afternoon last, (the engine having mounted the rail.) fell, and his head striking the rail, was instantly killed. Mr. Wood leaves a wife but children .- Carolina Times, Feb. 17.

J. W. Arnold was elected Sheriff of Laurer District, on Monday last.

### THE FARMER AND PLANTER.

ests before the bar of the House in our Legand, on the assertion of Mr. ex-Speaker d Cinclusati road—our own included. But to minds there seems to be a broad distinction be ween an enterprise in contemplation and one ac-ually in progress, where State aid had been already iberally granted, and the object was to remove wise re-trictions and safeguards for the protection of public trust funds. We have conversed with seveal members of the Legislature on the subject, and one of them has adduced a stronger precedent

than the one above alluded to.

But we do not rest our vindication even on the point already made. We maintain that American arliamentary practice—in Congress, for instance— ever allows influence of this character to approach ther House nearer than the committees. And there is wisdom in this limitation of personal impor-tunity. Written and printed statements may be resorted to—members may be posted outside the bodies—committees may inquire and report;—and the sum of evidence for or against a measure is left o exercise whatever control it may legitimately exert upon legislation.

Legislative bodies are organized to pass laws for

the good of the people—not to favor special inter-ests at the expense of the general weal. The pri-vilege of being heard in defence of a private claim rould never be granted by the Legislature-no natter how just in itself, or how necessary to the vell-being of the party and his family to whom the lebt was due. He must go to the committee, and he action of the body would depend upon the report of that organ of business. And why should ot the same course be observed on the Blue Ridge Railroad, which is only greater in magnitude, but ssessing less claim on the score of justice.

The editor of the Farmer and Planter may de ecute these "flings at the honorable body of legitors of this State?' as much as he pleases; but until the press is muzzled, as in France, we shall peak our minds freely in praise or censure of chatever may merit the one or provoke the other. We scout the invitation to log-roll delicately conveyed by our respected contemporary. If our logs need rolling, certain it is we shall never give them otary motion by such corrupt agency. A measur s right or wrong: If right, let its merits decide; if wrong, vote it down, We had rather see purity in legislation than witness the success of a favorite neasure through questionable influences

## PARTY TO THE MORGAN RIFLES.

Mr. Walker's gentlemanly assistant, Mr. J Juinn Harris, was lucky in conceiving the idea of lendering a Social Party to our new uniformed company, the Morgan Rifles, Capt. G. W. H. Logg, on the evening of the 20th instant. It was not only a delicate compliment to the corps, but afforded a fine opportunity for gratifying the public with a sight of their handsome appearance, and also rave the community a specimen of his capacity in hotel keeping. And in all he was successful.

The new and capacious Hall-which is named after Washington-was confortably crowded with ladics and gentlemen, who enjoyed themselves in social converse until half-past ten, when supper was nounced. Descending to the Dining-Room, two sumptuous tables were spread out in the perfection of culinary art; and when we say that the entertain ment, in this department, was a noble one, we fal short of the commendation bestowed on all hands upon Mrs. Walker's chef d'aurre. Many pronoun ced it superior to any ever before gotten up in Spar-

tanburg.

The whole affair passed off pleasantly and ha noniously, and no incident occurred to mar in the lightest degree the enjoyments of the night. It may not be amiss to say, that the new company turned out forty uniforms, and made a handso When the ranks are filled and all full equipped, no District can boast a fit er-looking corps of citizen soldiers than Spartanburg.

# EDITORIAL CONVENTION.

The Newberry Sun of the 18th inst. suggests of Convention of the proprietors of Newspap South Carolina, to be held, say at Colum Charleston, for the benefit of the press, and duce the cash system for subscription and salve

subject, we are not averse to the proposed conven-tion. Something beneficial might result from such meeting, even if its action do not prove a panacea for all the ills of newspaper publishers. We have some experience in this matter from the effort made North Carolina, who will be here on sale day next a few years ago. Much was anticipated from that novement-but, apart from several good addresses and good dinners, it was a total failure in all practical advantage. To eat and drink is the worst possible preparation for the despatch of business. If it shall prove acceptable to the press to hold the proposed convention, we hope that, prior to its eting, each publisher (or editor) will give his

houghts to the kind of business which should be transacted, and be ready to refer all propositions to a committee for suggestion and digestion. Should nothing be ready in this way, diaste to get home will defeat agreement upon anything that will pay interest upon the expense of going to Columbia or

# IMPEACUMENT OF A FEDERAL JUDGE.

An effort is being made in Congress to impeach the United States District Judge of Texas-Watrons. The Judiciary Committee reported on the 9th instant the following resolution:

"Resolved, That John C. Watrous, United States District Judge for the district of Texas, be mpeached of high crimes and misdemeanors.' After debate the subject was postponed until the Ist-last Saturday.

Mr. Evans, of Texas, thought that it was due not only to Juige Watrous, but to the State of Texas, that the resolution should be agreed to, that the judge should be placed upon his trial, and be afforded an opportunity to acquit himself before the Sen-ate of the United States, if innocent of the charges that had been preferred against him. Soon after Judge Watrous was made a district judge of Texas, that he was engaged in fraudulent land speculations. That op nion was endorsed by the legislature of Texas in 1848, and he believed there were but few neinbers of the bar—but very few of the citizens of Texas—who did not regard Judge Watrous as implicated in some manner in that class of litigation, and improperly so. Under these circumstances, it as but fair-it was but due to the purity of courts. and to the administration of justice—that the judge should be put upon trial. He knew nothing of udge Watrous himself, was never in his court; but the believed there was no question that he was a man of eminert legal ability. As a representative of Texas, however, it was his duty to say that, while that judge continued to hold office, it would be equivalent to having no court at all, unless he should himself from the suspicions that now attached

AMENDMENTS TO THE BRITISH TREATY .- The ington correspondent of the New York Cou-

"The amendments reported by the Ser mittee on Foreign Relations to the British Treaty are as follow: Abrogation of the clause recognising grants of Mosquito lands; Unrestricted cession to Honduras, by Great Britain, of the Bay Islands, so is to allow no resumption of British possession."

# OLD MAIDS

thee with a sign; thee with a sign; m's love shall light on thee, man's heart be thise!" MESSAS, EDITORS: Cn a gloomy evening of week, while endeavoring, by the aid of a comfort

e, and Roberts' Life of Hannah More, to induce nore cheerful atmosphere into my parlor th pre siled without, your paper, containing an article on "Old Maids," was handed to me, with a request that I would answer it.

My pen will doubtless lack the exhibitant

timulant of the "delightful Havana," but with the resh impress of the life I had been reading, and is he strength of a righteous cause, I trust I shall a altogether fail in an humble attempt to vindicate s ass too often made a mark for satire and ridicule Hannah More says of puns: "I have a great

tenderness for a bad pun when spoken, but a scrit-ten bad pun, that is indeed a very serious evil." So of Old Maidism: when spoken of, it may be sug-gestive of innocent mirth and laughter; but when oritten against, as a champion of the sex, I canno et it pass unchallenged, but must enter my proces in toto against the cynical and superstitious dis-paragement of "Old Maids."

How little are they understood, and how inad quate are we to fathom the deep secrets of their inner life? The blighting perchance of their young affections, which has left the world a blank, and

"To die-but know no second love." Their lives are not only often good and useful, bu they diffuse a mild and subdued halo of lappiness around them. An atmosphere of beneficence en circles them, and the crown of a thousand martyr doms rests upon their brow. Disappointed hopes like smeuldering ashes, lie often hid beneath a cold exterior. And when the spirit has triumphed, and we read upon the ealm brow that peace of God which passeth all understanding, we believe that nemory seldom reverts to the shadow; past, or alls back the bright thoughts, the glow of kind and blessed affection, in which life once fowed on, pearing them almost unconsciously upon its bosom ecause it bore them calmly and gently. That buried Past ! how are its ballowed reminiscence ashrined in the hidden depths of their heart, and ecome "the guiding star of memory."

A question propounded is, "Who are Old Maids?" England's brightest and wisest sceptre was swayed by her Maiden Queen, and over her palmiest days. Wherever good works and philanthropy are heard of, the names of Miss Dix and Grace Greenwood will continue fresh as a green bay tree; and Hannah More will ever shine one of the loveliest and brightest ornaments of her sex.

"Why is less attention paid to Old Maids than to Young Ladies?" It can only proceed from the fact hat the present era is deficient in the true kindlines of heart and chivalry which distinguished gentle men of the olden time. Few who knew them would condemn them to mere sufferance; and most of umay recall some self-forgetting maiden relative, who, rom the rising hope of the house to the little ptat er upon the knee, has been ever welcomed as ch argosy freighted with goods for others.

The "syllogism." I presume the premise irst, that Old Maids are useless; second, that they re detestable. Ergo, the conclusion: Old Maid are a nuisance. But I admit neither premises nor onclusion, by any of the new or old modes or gralations of arguing. Neither by the catechetical method of Socrates, nor by Aristotle's improved in rention of those little weapons called "syllogisms."
The life of an old maid is often a history of prac-

ical heroism. Others may yield to softening eme ions, may indulge the rapture of requited affection But where for them are the sweet moments of do mestic affection: the glad hours of joy and hope ife may seem aimless, but the mystery of the iso ation of those who seem so well fitted to grace ; fairer station is a problem we cannot solve here, but we shall know hereafter that it was ordered in wisdom; while for the present we must believe

"There's a divinity that shapes our ends, Rough hew them how we will." JUSTICE.

THE SABBATH SCHOOL CAUSE. We are indebted to Rev. W. T. Farrow for th following gratifying report of Sabbath School operations the past year in the Southern District, as drawn up by the District Secretary-Rev. A. Dick-

THE AMERICAN SUNDAY-SCHOOL UNION .- What it has done in the Southern District during the year ending Jan. 30, 1857. Teachers, ..... Tenchers, ..... Scholars, 10,322
Addrosses delivered, 346 Miles travelled. 8,371
Cost of missionary labor, \$1,443,83
Rev. A. Dickson, District Secretary; Rev. W.

T. FARROW, S. S. Agent in the upper districts of South Carolina. THE PUBLIC LANDS .- On the 17th instant, Mr. Bell, of Tennessee, introduced into the U. S. Senate a bill to secure to all the States an equal and just participation in the benefits of the public dopain, by the distribution of an amount in money derived from the sales of the public lands to each of the States according to their respective population, which have received no grants of land to aid in the construction of railroads, or grants of a less quantity than their ratable proportion, equivalent to the value of the lands granted to the State which has heretofore received the largest grant, estimating the of over thirty-nine million acres. value of such granted lands at \$1 25 per acre.

This bill contains a large bribe the Norther support. Should it pass, it will settle the doctrine or which the South has consistently contendedthat the territories are the common property of all the States.

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE .- We learn from des atches in the Carolina Times that the Committee for the investigation of charges of corruption in Congress reported on Thursday last. They recommend the expulsion of four members, viz: Messrs. Francis S. Edwards, William A Gilbert, and Orsamus B. Matieson, of New York-all Black Republicans. Also, W. W. Welsh, of Connecticu Black Republican. They also recommend the exclusion of Simonton, the reporter of the New York Times, from the House.

Leave was granted to the four members to file answers with the papers of the committee. THE CABINET OF MR. BUCHANAN.—The letter

vriters of Washington have at length agreed upon a Cabinet for Mr. Buchanan. It will consist of the following gentlemen:

following gentlemen:

Cass, Secretary of State; Floyd, of Va., War;
Brown, of Tenn., Navy; Cobb, of Georgia, Treasu
ry; J. Glaney Jones, Penn., Post Office; Jacob
Thompson, of Miss., laterior; Toucy, of Conn., At-President Pierce has issued his proclamation palling as extra session of the Senate on the 4th

## NEWS SCRAPS

THE ELECTIVE FRANCHISE IN OHIO,—A bill cen introduced in the lower branch of the leg ture of Ohio upon the subject of the elective in chise of that State, which prohibits persons of A can descent, either in whole or part, from exercise the privilege of voting A elections. The State

"This bill makes it the duty of judges of elect to reject the votes of persons reputed to be, in w or in part, of African descent, after taking testim satisfactory to them of the fact of such desc Any person reputed to be, in whole or in par African descent, who shall vote at an election, a be subject to imprisonment in the county jail less than one nor more than six months. Per who assist, counsel, or advise such persons to to be subject to a fine in any sum not exceed 500, and to imprisonment in jail from one a months. Prosecutions to be by indictment the court of common plens, and the act to be giving a pecial charge to grand juries. The act to the fect on its passage."

SLAVERY IN MISSOURI.—Missouri is a State, and it was thought by the abolition she would gladly emancipate her negroes the movement was met on the 10th instant by esoution, declaring that the emancipation of the of the State was not only impracticable, my movement toward it was impolitic, unw unust, and should be discountenanced by the ople. It passed the Senate—yeas 25, nays 4. Hise yeas 107, navs 9.

THE ARMY BILL. The bill which has ed through Congress to increase the pay one my officers establishes the following rates pay:

"Lieutenant-General, \$10,620; Brigadie General, \$7,500; Colonel, \$3,500; Lieutenant-blonel, \$2,500; Major, \$2,200; Captain, 1,800; eutenant, \$1,600."

ESTATE OF DR. BURDELL. -- No less parties made application to the Surroga of the County of New Yort for letters of administration upon the estate of the late Dr. Burdell, wi was so mysteriously murdered in January-thealleged widow among others
Late news from Nicaragua repres

nents of Walker's array as driving the Osta Rians before them. Valker's condition is ad to be mproving. His fores amount to 1,300, hile 1,-

100 are well conditioned, with plenty of am We notice by the Vinnsboro Register ant our ate townsman, Rev.J. D. McCollough, has assumed the rectorshipped that parish-his nw field

LIVERPOOL COTTO MARKET .- Dates rope to the 7th instan represent the cotto market as easier, but prices schanged. Inferio grades

It is announced by European correspon the Empress Eugenie as actually appeared in pubie without crinoline o hoops! John R. Thompson as been re-elected States Senator from Nw Jersey.

The disturbances gowing out of the ment of Canton by he English and American squadrons has sent up be prices of ten ig the New York market. Fork market.

It is said that startlig disclosures have been made

to the grand jury of hew York connected with the Burdell murder. The police are after the parties. The House, on the 25th instant, passed Mr Campbell's tariff bill, t a majority of 26 votes. Dr. W. Monefeldtof Charleston, died in the city on Saturday last.

L. W. Spratt, Esq has withdrawn from activ.

editorial supervision ovr the Charleston Standard. He will be succeeded by Messis. J. D. Budds and S. R. Crocker, heretfore assistants in the office. Langhorne, for kilog Edic, at Hampden Sid ney College, Va., wasts committed for trial in

March.

An earthquake vis jelt in Mount Holly, New Jersey, on the night of the 13th, at 114 o'clock. It is thought, from experiment, that the Chinese sugar cane can be postably grown for molasses in the entire State of Few Jersey.

The Pennsylvanic degislature have passed res

lutions instructing the senators in Congress to oppose the repeal of the luty on railroad iron. Attorney General Cushing, it is said, on reti-

the town of Newburypert, Mass. An affray took place in Kansas between Judge Elmore and a man named Kolgia—correspondent

of the abolition organ is Washington city. Two lawyers of Luce burg, Va., exchanged three bloodless shots at Mr. Hair's plantation, Md., on the 14th instant. Absurd of honor, of which Mr. Keitt was a member, hally adjusted the difficulty. The telegraph fron Columbia to Newberry

expected to be in operation in three weeks. A resolution was acceted in the House, on the 12th, requiring the Sevetary of War to communicate to Congress copies of all reports made to his department by the boast of American officers which was sent to the Crimes in 1855-56.

When the seat of Government was removed to Washington, Maryland and Virginia voted-the former 72,000 and the latter 120,000-to mid in erecting public buildings. An effort is now being made to repay these amounts. A bill for that purpose has passed the Senate.

It is decided to remove the Presbyterian Theo logical Seminary at New Albany, Indiana, to Chicago, Illinois.

In the nine medical schools of Philadelphia there are 1,500 students.

E. H. Porter, of Memphis, Tenn., has donated 10,000 acres of land to the Danville, Ky., Presbyterian Theological Seminary-value \$50,000 The same gentleman had previously given 10,000 acres to the Methodist Synodical College at La

Grange, Tenn. Henry E. Baldwin of New Hampshire, President Pierce's Secretary to sign land patents, died in Washington, on the 12th instant. Gwin and Broderick are the two Senators ius

chosen by the California Legislature. Within a year, sales and grants of the public lands of the United States have been made to the extent

Francis Lieber, D. D., is a candidate for the chair of history in the University of Virginia, but

failed of election. The Keowee Courier, through which Col. A. P. Calhoun was nominated for Congress, is desired to announce that he will not be a candidate.

A. T. Broyles has assumed the editorial conduc of the Anderson Gazette. It is thought that Hon. Wm. C. Rives will be appointed rector in the Virginia University. On first fire, Mr. Daniel fell mortally wounded

and Mr. Elliot received no hurt. and Mr. Elliot received no hurt.

The Advertiser chronicles a desperate fight in Edgefield, week before last, in which pistols were used, between two men named Benj. Booth and Silas Overstreet. The latter was so much injured that his life is despaired of. A bystander was also wounded, but not dangerously.

miscreaut.

We notice in our exchanges the death of Gales Seaton, son of Col. W. W. Seaton, junior editor of the National Intelligencer, Washington. He is spoken of as former editor and proprietor of the Raleigh Register. This is a mistake. Seaton Gales (son of Weston R. Gales) was the former owner of the Register.

Col. Arthur Simkins, hoping that the contest in the Brooks District will be parrowed down to Col. Pickens and Ex-Gov. Hammond, refuses to allow his name to be used for Congress. Capt. T. S. Byrd, a useful and respected citize

of Abbeville District, died on the 19th inst. The wife of Wm. A. Wilson, one of the proprie tors of the Abbeville Independent Press, died in that village very recently. She had been a wife but one short year, and leaves a bereaved husband and infant child to mourn her departure.

The Banner reports the business of Return Day in Abbeville at 143 cases. The acceptances might of March for Executive purposes. This is usual. | swell the total to 200.

and honorable to Georgians.

At a quart r past 4 o'clock p. m. it was announced that the procession was formed without, and ready to accompany the corpse to t'e town of Hamburg, on the South Carolina side. The coffin was again taken in hand by the Augusta members of Council, and carried to the street, where it was was again taken in hand by the Augusta members of Council, and carried to the street, where it was placed in a large and elegant hearse, drawn by four black horses, which had been procured for the occasion, through the Mayor of Charleston. The procession consisted of a troop of cavalry, four uniformed companies of infantry, a long train of carriages, and a number of citizens on foot—the whole preceded by a band of music with muffled drums. The length of the column could not have been less than a half mile. As it peered through Broad street, almost every piazza, balcony and window were growded with ladies, eager to winess the sad tribute to the gallant deceased. Many of the promines: business houses were closed; and the whole occasion was every way one to be long remembered. We cannot avoid repeating that the manner in which our Augusta iricads have acted in this matter has drawn many a heart towards this matter has drawn many a heart towards

them, and has gone far to make us feel more warmly alive to the fact that Georgia and Carolina are indeed sisters, bound together by ties of feeling

and friends. A guard of honor kept watch during the night

Early in the morning the entrances and rooms of the hotel began to fill with anxious citizens, who came to drop a tear upon the cold polished lid that concealed the face and form they had so lately admired in life. A younger brother of the deceased, observing the kindness of this demonstration, requested three particular friends to examine the face of the corpse, and, if proper, to exhibit it through the glass plate underneath the outer case. It was found to present still a most natural appearance, and every one, old and young, male and female, and every one, old and young, male and female, had the opportunity of looking hurriedly upon the pallid but still regular features of Preston S. Brooks. We must not omit to mention here the readiness and zeal evinced by the people of Hamburg on this occasion. The town authorities had every necessary arrangement made, and the citizens generally entered into the manifestations of respect with

At 9 o'clock s. m., (Saturday,) the coffin was At 9 o'clock a. m., (Saturday,) the coffin was conveyed by the Hamburg Committee to the hearse. It was escorted out of the corporate limits by a large number of citizens on foot, under the command of Col. Stuart Harrison, one of the marshals of, the preceding day. Upon the hill above the town this escort opened ranks, facing inwards, and the hearse, flanked by the field officers of the 7th Regiment, and followed by a number of carriages conveying the various committees, passed through on its way to Edgefield village, where the interment was to take place.

was to take place.

At half-past 3 o'clock p. m., the cortege, no At half-past 3 o'clock p. m., the cortege, now very largely increased by the falling into line of many carriages on the route, approached Edgefield. The approach was announced by a signal gun fired in the outskirts of the village. A few miles out, the head of the procession was met by the Edgefield Hussars, (Capt. Griffin,) who then conducted the advance. Within sight of the sown, a long array of clizens was marshalled on either side of the road, who were at once placed in line immediately in front of the corpse, the whole under the gridance of Maj. S. S. Tompkins, assisted by Lieutenants Adams and Penn. And thus the entire procession entered the village square. We had not, until then, formed a correct idea of the numbers in attendance. The large area was literally filled with men, women and children. The body was at once taken into one of the smaller apartments of the Court House, that the family of the deceased might in private take their melancholy leave of it. It was in private take their melancholy leave of it. It was then placed upon the table of the court room, and then placed upon the table of the court room, and thousands came to look for a moment upon the strong man stricken down by the hand of death in the mid eareer of his carthly aversions. North, least affecting part of this seene was the number of servants who came crowding in, by permission, to see the face of the dead once more before it went down into the grave; among them a weeping old woman who had nursed the deceased in his child-hood.

At length, the privilege of looking an adien having been accorded to all, the remains were again placed in the hearse, the procession again formed, and the saddened assemblage were soon met once more around an open grave in the village church-yard. On one side of it sleeps the dust of the father of him who now goes to make one more among the pale nations under the sod. On the other, is a small tomb that briefly tells the end of an infant daughter gone before Ler parent. Near by is the

monument of a gallant brother who fell in Mexico.

The Rev. Mr. Reid feelingly pronounced the impressive burial service of the Episcopal church. The coffin was lowered to its last receptacle. The brick arch was rapidly turned over the vault. The sarth was shovelled in. The crowd dispersed. The night came on. The dews of heaven fell upon the fresh grave. All was quiet among the white tombs The living had departed—the dead alone were there. The last chapter of our friend's career is written.

[Edgefield Advertiser.]

The cotton factory of N. P. Willard, at Madison Ga., was destroyed by fire on the 5th instant. Los \$40,000.

The Casaville (Ga.) Standard contains an a count of a man named Talion B. Buttler, of Sci ven co., who went to Savannah, was taken sick, and, as was thought, died. His body was put into a coffin and sent home—consuming 48 hours' time. On opening the coffin a smile was on his lips.

Medical aid was summoned, and on the 31st January he was rapidly recovering!

We learn that James A. Price, who is confined in the jail of this District, awaiting his trial for murder, has been endeavoring to make his escape. On Monday last the deputy sheriff, whilst in the cell, discovered that the iron bars in the window had

been removed and replaced again.—Unionville
Journal, Feb. 20.

A personal difficulty between Cel. Wm. Wallace
and James G. Gibbes, soting edit r of the South
Carolinian, in the absence of the editor, has been
honorably adjusted.

Advices have been received by Judge Kane, at Philadelphis, which induce the belief that his son, Elisha Kent Kane, M. D., the distinguished ex-plorer, has died at Havana, whither he had gone or the restoration of his health.

We learn from the Edgefield Advertiser that the large Barn of Hon. F. W. Pickens-90 × 48 feet —was consumed by fire, on the night of the 20th instant, with a large stock of produce. The loss is estimated to be at least \$5,000. Two blooded mares and five mules were destroyed in the conflagration. The fire was the work of some vindictive

The Appeal Court has granted a new trial to the slave Isaac, in Lexington District, whose execution was appointed for the 20th inst. The trial came on on Tresday last—the 24th.

Notwithstanding the refusal of the proprietor Notwithstanding the reliase of the proprietor to sell Mt. Vernon, Edward Everett perseveres in repeating his great cration on Washington and setting apart the proceeds for the original purpose. He has already invested \$12,000 at 7 and \$500 at 6 per cent., for that or some other national pur-

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ening of the 23d insta

the Walker House generously gave a social enter-tainment, on the 20th instant, to the Morgan Hilles which was numerously attended by the ladies and gentlemen of the town and district, afforded advantageous opportunity for displaying our uniformed members, was a delicate mode of introducing our corps to the public, and in all respects grateful to our feelings and creditable to the Walker House.

Resolved, unanimously, That the thanks of this corps are due, and they are hereby tendered, to Wm. Walker (W. H.) for the invitation extend-

Resolved, That our thanks be also tendered to Mr.
J. Guinn Harris, the Superintendent of the Walker
House, for the admirable arrangements and regulations adopted by him, which were so successful in
securing social enjoyment to the entire company
present.

Resolved, That the thanks of this corps be also
tendered to Mrs. Waller, for the superb banquet
which graced her tables, and filled the measure of
our most extravagant desires.

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Resolved, As further evidence of our apprecia

Resolved, As further evidence of our apprecia-tion of these hospitalities, that the above preamble and resolutions be published in the papers of the town, and that a copy be sent to Mr. Walker. WM. H. TRIMMIER, Secretary.

## A MUNIFICENT DONATION.

George Peabody, Esq., has made a donation to trustees of three hundred thousand dollars to endow an Institute in the city of Baltimore. Amongst the objects which Mr. Peabody has in view in making this munificent donation, he enumerates the formation of an extensive library for the free use of all warmly alive to the fact that Georgia and Carolina are indeed sisters, bound together by ties of feeling as well as of interest.

At a little before dark the procession halted in front of the American Hotel, Hamburg, when the collin was taken from the hearse by the officers of the volunteer companies, and deposited in the hotel parlor, which had been appropriately hung with black. The escort fram Augusta then returned to that city, and the remains of our lamented representative were in the keeping of his constituents and friends. A guard of honor kept watch during the night

Early in the morning the entrances and rooms of the hotel began to fill with anxious citizens, who came to drop a tear upon the cold polished lid that concealed the face and form they had so lately administration. A younger brother of the deceased.

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"I must not omit to impress upon you a suggestion for the government of the institute, which I deem to be of the highest moment, and which I deem to be of the highest moment, and which I deem to be of the highest moment, and which I deem to be of the highest moment, and which I deem to be of the highest moment, and which I deem to express the intolerance, bigotry, and party rancer, and my enduring respect and love for the happy institutions of our prosperous republic, impel me to express the wish that the institute I have proposed to you shall always be strictly guarded against the possibility of being made a theatre for the dissemination or discussion of sectarian theology or party politics; that it shall never minister, in any manner whatever, to political dissension, to infidelity, to visionary theories of a pretended philosophy which may be aimed at the subversion of the approved morals of society; that it shall nover lend its aid or influence to the propagation of opinions tending to create or encourage sectional jealousies in our happy country, or which may lead to the alienation of the people of one State or section of the Union from these of another. But that it shall be so conducted, throughout its whole career, as to teach political and religious charty, toleration, and b neffective propagation, and the prove itself to be, in all contingencies and conditions, the true friend of our inestimable Union, of the salutary itstitutions of free government and of liberty resultations of free government and of liberty resultations of the land. union, of the salutary institutions of free government, and of liberty regulated by law. I enjoin these precepts upon the board of trustees and their successors forever, for their invariable observance and enforcement in the administration of the duties I have confided to them."

The Burdell Murder Case at New York. The long-pending investigation at New York in the Burdell murder case has been brought to a close. A New York paper of Saturday says:

"The verdict of the jusy hands over Mrs. Cunningham and Eckel to the grand jury as principals in the murder and Snedgrasa as necessory. The result is universally approved. Since the close of the testimony another vitness has appeared, who was willing to testify that he saw Farrall on the stoop of Dr. B.'s house on the night of the murder, and also that he saw the door open, with a man standing in it in his slårt-sleeves.

"Dr. Woodward testified that he had trisd a dupplicate of the dagger purchased by Snodgrass in

ningham in possession of the facts of the murde and that it was the duty of the coroner to hold ther for the future action of the grand jury. Farrall is also retained as a witness, the city providing for his

family.

"Anonymous letters have been sent to the course have been sent to ner threatening his life because of the course he pursued in the examination. It is understood that the grand jury will commence with the case immediately."

BROTHERHOOD OF SUPPERING .- In one of N P Willis' beautiful letters from Idlewild, the follow

ing passage occurs:
"By the numerous visits and letters I have received." "By the numerous visits and letters I have received from consumptive patients, I have been made aware what sympathetic magnetism there is in a common suffering. Consumption, too, being a disease that is thought fatal, but which is gentle and almost insensible in its ravages, it is usually of softening and pensive inflence on the character—toping ening and pensive inflence on the character—toning down the daily burthen of life's song to a chord be-low the key-note of the world. For response that is in harmony with this the yearning is strong. They long for sympathy from those who have a door and sadness like their own. And, with this link of tenderness between fellow-sufferers, is formed a pilgrim company, ready to start upon their journey—a brotherized of those to whom 'Azrael, the Angel of Death,' has beckened to come away."

A New Arricht.—In his last letter from Idlewild, N. P. Willis, Ikaq., like a "perfect wretch," makes mention of a fact, concerning which he should have been confidential, as follows:

"The main objection you urge against riding on horseback in the winter (cold legs) has been somewhat lessened of late, by a result of the present fashion of ladies' petiteoats—the difficulty of warming those vast apartments in which beauty principally resides, having necessitated a contrivance of separate temperature for their two almost unenclosed suppositions. The new article for ladies' wear is a very thick stockiant leggin; and, encroachment on woman's rights hough it be to recommend them for gentlemen's prefane warmth, there is nothing to be bought, ready, and that will so well answer your purpose." your purpose."

SLAVE STATE OF CALIFORNIA,-The Francisco Herald, briging the Democracy of the State to a careful selection of Senators sound up the Kausas-Nebra-ka platform, says: "We have besitation in asserting the probability that befut the lapse of six rems the Senate of the United Senates of the United Se the lapse of six years the Senate of the United States will be called upon for the practical assertion of the principle of that law, by the admission of a slave State on the Pacific coast north of thirty-six degrees and thirty minutes. Will the Senators from California be prepared to advocate, with zeal and energy, the right of the people of such a State to decide upon their own institutions, without reference to geographical lines?

AN APPAIR OF HONOR,-The Savannah Geor gian of the 17th instant states that much excitement was evident in that city yesterday, when it was known that a duci had been fought, with a fatal termination to one of the parties, between Dan al termination to one of the parties, between Stewart Elliot, Esq., and Thomas R. Seq., both well known gentlemen resident

The weapons ohosen were rifles, the distant wenty five pages, the time Monday at noon, a the place Seriven's Ferry, S. C., about three milbelow that city.

The standard weight of grain adopted by the North Carelina Legislature, which goes into effect shortly, is as follows: When to weigh 60 lbs. to the bushel; corn, 54; rye, 56; rice, 44; buckwhest, 56; barley, 48; outs, 30; fixxseed, 55; peas, 50; cor

The night police in Jamaics are said to be reflicient. After a certain boar at night every pan seen passing along the strest is hailed, ask known, and his name and intentions are secretain known, and his name and intentious are secured. One night last week a gentleman was go home late at night, when he was hailed by on the vigilants from "chind a tree box, with "W goes there—where have you been?" "I have to playing draw poker and dening from the bottom was the prompt reply. "All right," says the vigilant, "you can pass."

Samuel S. Tindall, of Sunter District, S. C. who had been tried and convicted of the marder o his wife, suffered the extreme penalty of the law for that offerce, on the 20th inst., between the bound

of that offeree, on the 20th inst., between the hour of twelve and two o'clock.

We learn from the Petersburg Express, than at a meeting of the Board of Visitors of the University of Virginia, held on Saturday law, Progeorge Frederick Holmes was elected to fill the Chair of History and General Literature. Chair of History and General Lacracian.

New Post Office.—Through exertions made by I. G. McKiasick, Esq., a new Post Office has been established in this Dictrict, called McDuffic, and Samuel Faucett appointed Postmuster.

[Unionville Journal.]

On a recent rainy day a wag was beard to exclaim, "Well, my umbrella" is a regular Catholic! "How so?" inquired a friend. "Because it alway keeps lent."

## COMMERCIAL.

Columbia Market, February 21, 185 Cotumbia Market, February 21, 1852.

Corros.—It will be recellected that our heekly report of the cotton market closed on a fand steady demand for the article, at 104 for in rior to 122 for fair. During the whole of the we just brought to a close, the market has been und a good degree of excitement, and prices have re up 4 to 3 on our last quotations. There has been fair supply on sale, and as the demand was go every bale that was offered was freely taken at fairs. every bale that was offered was treely taken at full prices. The sales of the week foot ap 1,8 0 bales, and we now quote: Inferior 11 a 11½; ordinary 11½ a 11½; middling 12 a 12½; good middling 12½ a 12½; tair 12½ a 12½; and choice 13 cents.

Bacon.—We have no material or quotable change to notice in the bacon market since our last report, and we therefore continue to quote for prime old shoulders 9; clear sides 11 a 11½; new hog round 11 a 11½ cents per round.

11 a 11½ cents per pound.

Coan —The demand for corn is fair, and as there is only a moderate supply on sale, prices are full, a 90 cents per bushel.

FLOUR—The flour market has been quiet but steady during the whole of the past week, and we therefore continue to quote \$7\frac{1}{2} a \$7\frac{7}{2} for common to good brands; superfine \$8\frac{1}{2} and extra family flour \$8\frac{1}{2} per barrel.

There is no disease more common among children, and yet rone which se frequently baffles the skill of the physician, as worms. They are highly detrimental to the constitution; and their presence should be carefully guarded against by parents. On the first manifestations of symptoms, every means should be used to expel them prompterery means should be used to expel them prompters. ly and thoroughly. M'Lane's Vermifugo, prepa ed by Fleming Bros. of Pittsburgh, is well es lished as the most certain, safe and speedy rem ever offered for this troublesome as

Purchasers will be careful to ask for DR MILANES CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE. manufactured by FLEMING BROS, of Pitteneagn, Pa. All other Vermiluges in compari are worthless, - Dr. M'Lane's genuine Ver all respectible drug stores. None genuine without

[44] Feb. 26 Georgian GREAT CURE OF RHEUMATISM IN

Cincinnati, Ohio-Convincing Evidence. Cincinnati, Ohio—Convincing Evidence.

For more than three years I have been suffering with rheumatism, and enlargement and pais of the bones and joints. I have strictly followed the advice of physicians, and at other times used such family medicines as had been recommended for the cure of rheumatism; still I did not improve in the cure of rheumatism; still I did not improve in the least, and was frequently compelled to keep my bed, and thereby was prevented from attending to my business. Some weeks ago I was induced by a friend to try Carter's Spanish Mixture. The cifect was miraculous. I felt considerably improved after I had taken the fourth done; I have only used one single bottle, and am entirely free from all one single bottle, and am entirely free from all pain. I feel better than I have felt for years, and I pain. I feel better than I have felt for years, and I pain the better than I have felt for years, and I pain the better than I have felt for years, and I pain the book of the use of Carter's Spanish Mixture. I consider it a most excellent medicine for rheumatiam and all diseases of the blood, and cheerfully recommend it to the afflicted.

H. BURRITT, Southeast corner Fourth and Walnut ats.

Cincianati, March 17, 1855. Feb 5 50 Im

NOTICE A LL Persons INDEBTED to MORGAN & MOORE are respectfully requested to CALL and SETFLE, as they are in need of all MONEY due them. MORGAN & MOORE.

Fresh Arrivals. RAISINS AND CANDY—just received Feb. 26 1 " MORGAN & MOORE'S. SEND IN THE BOYS.

# THE ODD FELLOWS' SCHOOL WE Tull operation. We have room for a few more YOUNG AMERICANS. As to promises, we have only to say, we know our duty, and we will do it. W: T. FARROW, Feb 26 1 2t J. A. COLLANS.

A CARD. FORREST GOWAN will be also of next month, for the purpose of selecting a stock of PHOTOGENIC articles for his Ga. During his absence Mr. T. J. RLFORD will y on the business at the Carolina Star Gallery.

FRUIT TREES. CHOICE FRUIT TREES

## aised in North Carolina, which I will dispose low prices. LENJ HAMILTO Line to refer planters to Mr. W. I. MITCH n. D. l. & L. TWITTY Feb. 26 1 11 CO-PARTNERSHIP.

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